GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS
LOK SABHA

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DISTRIBUTION OF LPG CONNECTIONS IN STATES
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Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS be pleased to state:

(a) the criteria adopted in distribution of LPG connections in each State ;

(b) the number of LPG connections allotted to various States during the last three years, State-wise ; and (

(c) the details of LPG connections allotted till date in the country, State-wise ?

Answer

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PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS (SHRI SANTOSH KUMAR GANGWAR)

(a) to (c) : At present, LPG connections are released on demand in all the existing markets throughout the country by the Public Sector Oil Marketing Companies (OMCs).The details of LPG connections (domestic) released by OMCs in various States / UTs of country during the last three years is given in the Annexure. Total customer population in the country as on 1.10.2002 with OMCs is about 6.68 crores.